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SUBJECT: Change to the DODFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding -
Clothing Monetary Allowances, (DFAS Item H-08)

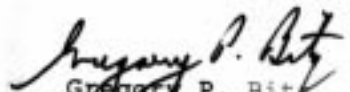
Attached is DFAS Interim Change 10-99 to Chapter 29 of the DoDFMR, Volume 7A. It was effective October 1, 1998.

This change incorporates the provisions of DoD Instruction 1338.18 which was revised and reissued on January 7, 1998. This change includes the clothing monetary allowance rates established by the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Force Management Policy) for fiscal year 1999. This is a complete chapter rewrite and replacement for the existing Chapter 29. This change also requires conforming modifications to be made to chapters 30, 57, and 58 and to the Table of Contents.

We have evaluated your comments on the draft proposal of this change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A. The attached final version of the change incorporates your comments where appropriate.

Assignment of an interim change number is your authority to start a procedural modification to facilitate this change. For the Denver Center, use the attached to initiate the formal printed change to the DoDFMR and the interim change message.

Our point of contact, Mr. Gary McGee, may be contacted at DSN 332-5280 or at (703) 602-5280.


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CLOTHING MONETARY ALLOWANCES

1. Revise Table of Contents by replacing the entries under Chapter 29 with the following:

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2. Revise the listing of tables under the Table of Contents for Chapter 29 by replacing the entries with the following:

Table 29-1.	Standard Initial Clothing Allowances
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Table 29-3.	Entitlement to Cash Clothing Replacement Allowances
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Table 29-5.	Navy Supplementary Clothing Allowances
Table 29-6.	Air Force Supplementary Clothing Allowances
Table 29-7.	Civilian Clothing Allowances for Officer and Enlisted Members
Table 29-8.	Settlement of Cash Clothing Allowances

3. Make the following conforming changes to Chapters 30, 57 and 58:

A. Delete the opening catch line sentence, "Special Initial Allowance", in paragraph 300501 and also the word "initial" in the last line.

B. Delete paragraphs 300502 through 300508 and insert a new paragraph 300502 with the following:

Entitlement criteria and allowance rates for civilian clothing allowances are specified in Chapter 29, see paragraph 290403.

C. Replace paragraphs 570505C and 580401C with the following:

Initial Cash Allowance for Enlisted Members. An enlisted member of a Reserve component is entitled to an initial cash allowance for the purchase of items specifically designated by the military department concerned to be purchased by the member rather than to be furnished in kind. (See paragraph 290201).

D. Replace paragraph 570505D2 with the following:

Navy-DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Table 29-5.

E. Replace paragraph 570505D3 with the following:

Air Force-AFR 39-23 (reference (bd)), DFAS-DE 7073.1-M and 7073.3-M (reference (ap)) and DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Table 29-6.

4. Revise the Bibliography by replacing the entries under Chapter 29, Clothing Monetary Allowances - Enlisted Members, with the following:

Chapter 29-Clothing Monetary
Allowances

2901-General Provisions	290101	37 U.S.C. 418 EO 10113, 24 Feb 1950 DoDD 1338.5, 9 Mar 1998 DoDI 1338.18, 7 Jan 1998
2904-Extra Clothing Allowances	290402	ASD(FMP) Memo, 31 Mar 1998
	Table 29-1	ASD(FMP) Memo, 25 Sep 1998
	Table 29-2	ASD(FMP) Memo, 25 Sep 1998
	Table 29-4	ASD(FMP) Memo, 25 Sep 1998
	Table 29-7	ASD(FMP) Memo, 25 Sep 1998

3. Replace the entirety of Chapter 29 with the following:

(See next page)

CHAPTER 29

CLOTHING MONETARY ALLOWANCES2901 GENERAL PROVISIONS

290101. Clothing Allowance Entitlement. By law and under Presidential executive order, the Secretary of Defense, or the Secretary's designee, may prescribe the quantity and kind of clothing to be furnished annually to an enlisted member of the Military Services, and may prescribe the amount of cash allowance to be paid if clothing is not so furnished. It is DoD policy that the quantities and kinds of items of individual clothing to be furnished shall be prescribed by the individual Service Secretary or the Commandant of the Marine Corps under the parameters set by the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Force Management Policy.

290102. Types of Allowances. There are three basic types of clothing allowances:

A. Initial Clothing Allowances are provided to enlisted members upon initial enlistment or upon other special qualification for entitlement to a prescribed outfitting of uniforms. The initial issue may be an in kind issue or a combination of in kind issue and cash payment.

B. Cash Clothing Replacement Allowances are provided to enlisted members upon the anniversary month each successive year following the provision of an initial clothing allowance. Cash clothing replacement allowances are for replacement of required uniform items based on a normal wear rate.

C. Extra Clothing Allowances are additional to initial and replacement allowances and do not reduce, replace or otherwise affect them. Extra clothing allowances provide for unusual circumstances when an enlisted member may require additional uniform items or when an officer (with a permanent duty station outside the United States) or enlisted member may require civilian clothes to perform their assigned duties.

290103. References. The following source directives contain detail on entitlements, policies, and procedures on the quantity and kind of clothing that must be provided, the cash allowance in lieu thereof, and the provisions for payment of clothing replacement allowances:

A. Army, AR 700-84 (reference (ax)). For rates payable, see DFAS-IN Military Pay Tables (Daily Rates) (reference (ay)).

B. Navy, MILPERSMAN, BUPERS-INST 1020.11 series (reference (az)) and COM-NAVRESFORINST 1001.5 series (reference (ba)).

C. Air Force, DFAS-DE 7073.1-M, DFAS-DE 7073.2-M (reference (ap)), and AFI 36-3014 (reference (be)).

D. Marine Corps, Individual Clothing Regulations (MCO P10120.28 (reference (bb))).

2902 INITIAL CLOTHING ALLOWANCES

290201. Standard Initial Clothing Allowance – General Provisions. The Standard Initial Clothing Allowance is mainly provided as an in kind issue, although a cash payment may be made for items not furnished in kind. Each Service, as approved by the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Force Management Policy), may prescribe cash payments for items specifically designated to be purchased by the member rather than to be furnished in kind. Additionally, if any of the items of clothing normally prescribed to be furnished in kind are not available for issuance, the initial allowance may be completed by paying the member the cash value of the balance remaining. The Standard Initial Clothing Allowance rates, including prescribed cash payments for personal purchase of specified items are in table 29-1.

A. The total monetary value of items furnished in kind, plus any cash payments, may not exceed the amounts for the total value of the applicable Standard Initial Clothing Allowance as established in table 29-1.

B. If a Service member dies, is discharged, or is released from active duty within six months of entitlement to an initial allowance, the value of the initial allowance shall be reduced to the items of clothing already supplied or amount credited up to that date.

C. Navy and Air Force. Enlisted members of the Navy and Air Force entitled to a Standard Initial Clothing Allowance are credited with the amount of the allowance against which the authorized clothing is furnished. Payment of the amount prescribed in the initial allowance as a cash payment for personal purchase of specified items may be made immediately. If any of the prescribed items of clothing to be furnished in kind against the established credit are not available for issuance by the conclusion of basic training period, or within a period the Service considers appropriate, the initial allowance may be completed by paying the individual the balance remaining in cash.

D. Army and Marine Corps. Enlisted members of the Army and Marine Corps entitled to a Standard Initial Clothing Allowance are furnished the allowance on an item or issue in kind basis without establishing a monetary credit. Payment of the amount prescribed in the initial allowance as a cash allowance may be made immediately. Shortages of items being furnished on an in kind basis shall be recorded and issued when available to the Service member.

290202. Standard Initial Clothing Allowance - Entitlement Criteria. Enlisted personnel (except those entitled to a Special Initial Clothing Allowance) shall be furnished a Standard Initial Clothing Allowance, but only under the following circumstances:

A. Upon first enlistment in the Service, or reenlistment in the same branch of the regular Military Service if three months has expired from date of last discharge or release from active duty and the member is not reporting from a Reserve component that requires the member to maintain uniform clothing.

B. Upon enlistment or re-enlistment in a Service other than the one from which last discharged.

C. Upon reporting for or upon recall to active duty for more than six months, after three months have expired from the date of last discharge or release from active duty with the clothing required for service in a Reserve component. In these cases, the initial allowance shall be reduced to a Partial Standard Initial Clothing Allowance under regulations of the appropriate Service, to account for clothing required to be in the person's possession upon call or recall to active duty.

D. Upon being restored to duty, after being sentenced to confinement and punitive discharge, to the extent needed to fill the individual's clothing requirement.

E. Upon re-enlisting within three months of last discharge or release from active duty, when the Service member did not receive the complete initial allowance or was required to turn in issued clothing. The amount allowed, shall be the difference between the current initial clothing allowance and the current value of issued clothing that remained in the member's possession upon the date of last discharge or release from active duty, further reduced by any prior cash clothing payments toward the initial clothing allowance. For the purposes of determining entitlement to replacement allowances, issues or payments under this subparagraph are not considered to be the last authorization of an initial allowance.

F. Retired enlisted personnel (including Service members of the Fleet Reserve and the Fleet Marine Corps Reserve) recalled to active duty after three months from the date of last release from active duty or retirement. Only one such allowance shall be authorized during any period of four consecutive years.

G. Commissioned officers or warrant officers under temporary appointments who enlisted or re-enlisted, or who reverted to service on active duty in an enlisted (other than Chief Petty Officer) status, except for purposes of retirement. Only one such allowance is authorized in any period of four consecutive years.

H. Naval officer candidates, and Naval Reserve Chief Petty Officers who revert to or are enlisted or re-enlisted in the regular Navy in pay grade E-6 or below, except for purposes of retirement; provided they have not previously received a standard initial clothing allowance during their current period of continuous active duty.

290203. Special Initial Clothing Allowance – General Provisions. Enlisted members may be authorized a Special Initial Clothing Allowance if assigned to a tour of duty, or if they attain a status, requiring the wear of uniform clothing (other than special dress uniforms) of a style different from uniforms customary for most enlisted members of the same Service. Only one Special Initial Clothing Allowance is authorized during any period of continuous active duty. The Special Initial Clothing Allowance rates are in table 29-2.

A. The Special Initial Clothing Allowance is provided in lieu of the Standard Initial Clothing Allowance when it is the first initial allowance qualified for and issued. The Special Initial Clothing Allowance supercedes and replaces the Standard Initial Clothing Allowance and is considered to be the last authorization of an initial clothing allowance when a member who previously received a Standard Initial Clothing Allowance subsequently qualifies for and is provided a Special Initial Clothing Allowance. The Special Initial Clothing Allowance may be issued in kind, paid as a monetary payment, or provided as a combination, as established the Service concerned.

B. Examples of uses for Special Initial Clothing Allowance are when members in an enlisted status enter an officer training program, are advanced to Chief Petty Officer in the Navy, or are assigned to a military band with uniform styles different than those for others in their pay grade.

290204. Special Initial Clothing Allowance – Eligibility Criteria. Enlisted personnel shall be furnished a Special Initial Clothing Allowance only under the following circumstances:

- A. Upon selection and acceptance for specified officer-training programs.
- B. Upon assignment, in pay grade E-6 or below, to either the United States Navy Band Washington, DC or the United States Naval Academy Band.
- C. Upon first advancement to or first enlistment as a Chief Petty Officer in the Navy, while serving on active duty, provided no Special Initial Clothing Allowance has been previously paid.
- D. Upon first reporting for active duty for a period of more than six months as a Chief Petty Officer of the Naval Reserve provided no Special Initial Clothing Allowance has been previously paid either on active or inactive duty.
- E. Upon active duty reenlistment or receipt of orders to active duty as a Chief Petty Officer in the Navy, provided all of the following conditions are met:
 - 1. Over three months has expired from date of last discharge, release from active duty or retirement,
 - 2. The enlistment or re-enlistment period is for a period of more than six months,
 - 3. Appointment to temporary officer status is not coincident with the enlistment or re-enlistment, and
 - 4. The member has not been paid a Special Initial Clothing Allowance within the last four years while on inactive duty.
- F. A Chief Petty Officer of the Naval Reserve first reporting for active duty for a period of more than six months who has been previously paid a Special Initial Clothing Allowance while on inactive duty will receive a Partial Special Initial Clothing Allowance.

290205. Partial Initial Clothing Allowances. Enlisted personnel shall be paid a reduced or partial initial allowance when payment of a full Standard Initial Clothing Allowance or full Special Initial Clothing Allowance is not warranted as described in paragraphs 290202C and 290204F.

2903 CASH CLOTHING REPLACEMENT ALLOWANCES

290301. General. Cash clothing replacement allowances for uniform items shall be paid to enlisted members to provide them funds for the replacement of military unique items required for wear. Enlisted members engaged in officer training programs or who are attending academy preparatory schools are not eligible for cash clothing replacement allowances. Specific entitlement rules are listed in table 29-3. Cash clothing replacement allowance rates are listed in table 29-4.

290302. Basic Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance. This is a preliminary replacement allowance for uniform items. It is used during the first three years of active service subsequent to receipt of a Standard Initial Clothing Allowance or a reduced or Partial Standard Initial Clothing Allowance.

A. It accrues to each enlisted member beginning with the first day of the month following the date of completion of six months of active duty without regard to time lost. The first payment shall be made at the end of the member's anniversary month completing one year of uninterrupted active military service in an amount equal to one-half the applicable fiscal year rate then in effect.

B. When authorized under regulations of the Service concerned, enlisted members of a Reserve component who received a reduced or Partial Standard Initial Clothing Allowance, may be authorized to accrue the Basic Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance beginning with the first day of the month following the date of call or recall to active duty in a pay status.

C. The Basic Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance continues for the first three years of continuous active duty. It is payable for the second and third years at the end of the member's anniversary month using the applicable rate then in effect.

290303. Standard Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance. This allowance provides for replacement of uniform items after completion of three years of active service subsequent to receipt of a Standard Initial Clothing Allowance or a reduced or Partial Standard Initial Clothing Allowance. It is also used as the preliminary replacement allowance during the first three years of active service subsequent to receipt of a Special Initial Clothing Allowance or a reduced or Partial Special Initial Clothing Allowance.

A. When used as the follow on to the Basic Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance, the Standard Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance accrues beginning with the first day of the month following the date the member completes 36 months active duty without regard

to time lost. It continues during the remaining period of continuous active duty and is payable annually at the end of the Service member's anniversary month using the applicable rate then in effect.

B. When used as the preliminary replacement allowance for the Special Initial Clothing Allowance, the Standard Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance accrues beginning with the first day of the month following the date the Special Initial Clothing Allowance or a reduced or Partial Special Initial Clothing Allowance was authorized without regard to time lost. It is payable annually, for the first three years of continuous active duty, at the end of the Service member's anniversary month using the applicable rate then in effect.

290304. Special Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance. This allowance provides for replacement of uniform items after completion of three years of active service subsequent to receipt of a Special Initial Clothing Allowance. It accrues beginning with the first day of the month following the date the member completes 36 months active duty, subsequent to receiving a Special Initial Clothing Allowance or a reduced or Partial Special Initial Clothing Allowance, without regard to time lost, and continues during the remaining period of continuous active duty. It is payable annually at the end of the Service member's anniversary month using the applicable fiscal year rate then in effect. During the period the Special Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance is payable, the Service member is not entitled to any other cash clothing replacement allowance for uniforms.

2904 EXTRA CLOTHING ALLOWANCES

290401. General. Extra Clothing Allowances are provided in addition to any other entitled clothing allowance. Entitlement to or payment of an Extra Clothing Allowance does not replace or reduce any other clothing allowance.

290402. Supplementary Clothing Allowances. In addition to any other clothing allowance authorized, an enlisted member may become entitled to a Supplementary Clothing Allowance. Supplementary Clothing Allowances may be authorized only for enlisted personnel assigned to duty in a special organization or detail where the nature of the duty necessitates the member have, as a military requirement, additional quantities or special items of individual uniform clothing normally not required for most enlisted members in the same Service. Except for maternity uniforms, Supplementary Clothing Allowances may not exceed 20 percent of the current value of the Standard Initial Clothing Allowance.

A. Entitlement.

1. A Supplementary Clothing Allowance may be provided as an in kind issue, as a cash payment, or as a combination of an in kind issue and a cash payment. Generally, Navy and Air Force members are provided Supplementary Clothing Allowances as cash payments, whereas Army and Marine Corps members are normally provided Supplementary Clothing Allowances as in kind issues.

2. On the anniversary of receipt of an initial Supplementary Clothing Allowance, a subsequent Supplementary Clothing Allowance may be authorized for a member remaining in the qualifying assignment, provided the member is projected to remain in the assignment for at least six additional months. A Service member who has received a Supplementary Clothing Allowance may not be authorized a subsequent supplementary allowance for the same items upon reassignment to duty, if less than 12 months have elapsed since the last payment. However, the Service Secretary or Commandant of the Marine Corps or their designee, may waive this restriction under circumstances they deem appropriate.

3. As an exception to the above, an otherwise qualified member may not receive the Supplementary Clothing Allowance for maternity uniforms more often than once every three years.

B. Rates Payable.

1. Navy and Air Force provide Supplementary Clothing Allowances as cash payments. The Navy Supplementary Clothing Allowance rates are listed in table 29-5. The Air Force Supplementary Clothing Allowance rates are listed in table 29-6.

2. Army and Marine Corps provide Supplementary Clothing Allowances as in kind issues or a combination of in kind issues and cash payments. The Army and Marine Corps Supplementary Clothing Allowances are described in the appropriate Service references listed in paragraph 290103.

290403. Civilian Clothing Allowances for Officers and Enlisted Personnel. In addition to any other clothing allowance authorized, Service members (officer or enlisted) directed by competent authority to dress in civilian clothing more than half the time when performing official duty, as a military requirement, may be authorized a civilian clothing allowance. By law, an officer is authorized a civilian clothing allowance only if the officer's permanent duty station is outside the United States. During any period an enlisted member is on an assignment requiring the wear of civilian clothing, the applicable replacement allowance for uniform items continues to accrue. The Service Secretary or Commandant of the Marine Corps may prescribe reduced civilian clothing allowances, as appropriate for their respective Service, for personnel serving under conditions where the full authorized civilian clothing allowances in table 29-7 are not required.

A. Permanent Duty Civilian Clothing Allowances. The Permanent Duty Civilian Clothing Allowance has two parts, the Initial Civilian Clothing Allowance and the Replacement Civilian Clothing Allowance. The Initial Civilian Clothing Allowance is payable upon assignment to qualifying permanent duty when authorized by the Service concerned. When entitled, the Replacement Civilian Clothing Allowance is payable annually at the end of the Service member's anniversary month using the applicable rate then in effect. The rates payable for the Permanent Duty Civilian Clothing Allowances are in table 29-7.

1. Initial Civilian Clothing Allowance. An Initial Civilian Clothing Allowance shall not be paid more frequently than once in any three year period nor shall it be

paid if the member has been out of a qualifying assignment for less than 12 months. If the member receives a follow-on permanent assignment requiring the wear of civilian clothing within three years of receiving an Initial Civilian Clothing Allowance, or within 12 months of occupying a qualifying assignment, the member will receive the Replacement Civilian Clothing Allowance at the end of the original anniversary month.

2. Replacement Civilian Clothing Allowance. At the end of the anniversary month of the member commencing the qualifying assignment, a Replacement Civilian Clothing Allowance is payable if the member is projected to serve at least six additional months in a qualifying assignment. The member becomes entitled upon authorization of the Service concerned. If the member is projected to remain in the assignment less than six months beyond the anniversary month, the Replacement Civilian Clothing Allowance will not be authorized. However, if the member then actually serves six or more months in the assignment past the anniversary month, the replacement allowance will be paid.

3. Lump Sum Payments. A Service may be given authority to pay the Initial Civilian Clothing Allowance and up to two Replacement Civilian Clothing Allowance payments in an up-front lump sum to members projected to continue to meet the eligibility criteria for a civilian clothing allowance on a career basis. Such a lump-sum payment may be made only one time in a member's career and that is when the member first becomes eligible for the allowance. On the first or second anniversaries after a lump-sum initial payment, if it is determined the member will not actually be remaining in a qualifying position for at least the next six months, the annual unearned portion for the year(s) not served will be recouped from the member. At the end of the anniversary months for the third and subsequent years' of eligibility, the member will be paid the Replacement Civilian Clothing Allowance.

4. Prior Civilian Clothing Payments. A member assigned to duty for which a Permanent Duty Civilian Clothing Allowance is authorized will have that allowance reduced by the prevailing value of any Temporary Duty Civilian Clothing Allowance received within the preceding 12 months.

B. Temporary Duty Civilian Clothing Allowances. Generally, the Temporary Duty Civilian Clothing Allowance is for use when the Permanent Duty Civilian Clothing Allowance is not applicable. The Temporary Duty Civilian Clothing Allowance has two maximum rates, one for temporary duty of at least 15 days within any 30 day period and one for temporary duty of at least 30 days within any 36 month period. The total amount of all Temporary Duty Civilian Clothing Allowances payable in any 36 month period will not exceed the maximum allowed for temporary duty of at least 30 days. The amounts authorized by the Service concerned shall be within the maximum rates established in table 29-7.

1. Temporary Duty of at Least 15 Days. When competent authority determines the member will be on temporary duty at least 15 consecutive or accumulative days within a 30-day period, the maximum amount payable is that found in table 29-7. The 15-day threshold requirement does not apply to Explosive Ordnance Disposal and Explosive Detector Dog personnel on United States Secret Service support duty, Defense Courier Service couriers, or On-Site Inspection Agency military personnel. These personnel may be authorized up to the

maximum payment for temporary duty of at least 30 days, upon their initial temporary duty assignment, regardless of the length of their temporary duty.

2. Temporary Duty of at Least 30 Days. When competent authority determines the member will be on temporary duty at least 30 consecutive or accumulative days within a 36 month period, the maximum amount payable shall be that found in table 29-7, less any amount paid within the past 36 month period.

3. Additional Temporary Duty Payments. In exceptional circumstances, the appropriate official, or the designated official, may make an exception to the maximum allowance permitted in a 36 month period and may authorize an additional payment of a 15 or 30 day allowance or some lesser amount. This authority may not be delegated below the Assistant Secretary level in the Army, Navy and Air Force, or the Deputy Chief of Staff for Manpower and Reserve Affairs in the Marine Corps.

2905 MISCELLANEOUS CLOTHING PROVISIONS

290501. Reserve Component Allowances. Generally, items of individual clothing required by Reserve component personnel on active duty for periods of less than six months or while on inactive duty, are furnished as in kind issues. However, the prescribed cash portion of the Standard Initial Clothing Allowance may be paid to the Reserve member at the time their initial allowance is issued for items designated to be personally purchased and not issued in kind. Members of Reserve components on active duty for periods of less than six months or on inactive duty are not entitled to any Civilian Clothing Allowances. Further guidance for payment of clothing allowances for Reserve members is set forth in Chapters 57 and 58.

290502. Lost or Damaged Clothing. Service members shall be compensated for clothing items destroyed, damaged, lost, abandoned, captured, or otherwise rendered unusable, incident to military training or service, if the loss was not caused by any fault or negligence of the Service member. The Service concerned shall prescribe procedures for such compensation.

290503. Clothing Price Adjustments. Enlisted members of the Navy and Air Force entitled to an initial or partial initial clothing monetary allowance upon entering the Service may require adjustment to their pay records. When the entitlement date is on or before 30 September, but all clothing items have not been issued prior to 1 October, adjust the pay record to reflect the difference between old and new fiscal year prices of those items not issued.

290504. Settlement of Cash Clothing Allowances. Cash clothing replacement allowances are always paid on the last day of the anniversary month in which the member earned the entitlement, except when prorated as a result of discharge before the end of the anniversary month. Supplementary Clothing Allowances are paid when the entitlement is approved by the authorizing official. Other cash clothing allowances will be settled as outlined in Table 29-8.

STANDARD INITIAL CLOTHING ALLOWANCES – EFFECTIVE 1 OCT 1998					
R U L E	A	B	C	D	E
	When an entitled enlisted member is	and is	Then the total value of the Standard Initial Clothing Allowance is	and the prescribed cash payment portion for purchase of specified items is	and the Partial Initial cash allowance for a member of the Reserves or Guard called to active duty is
1	Army	male	\$ 948.20		
2		female	\$1,237.85	\$229.55	
3	Navy (E1-E6)	male	\$1,112.31	\$189.36	\$328.36
4		female	\$1,462.07	\$412.42	\$448.31
5	Air Force	male	\$ 897.45		
6		female	\$1,104.61	\$200.52	
7	Marine Corps	male	\$ 996.45		
8		female	\$1,265.61	\$200.52	

Table 29-1. Standard Initial Clothing Allowances

SPECIAL INITIAL CLOTHING ALLOWANCES – EFFECTIVE 1 OCT 1998					
R U L E	A	B	C	D	E
	When an entitled enlisted member is	and is	then the total value of the Special Initial Clothing Allowance is	and the prescribed cash payment portion to be paid is	and the Partial Initial cash allowance for a member of the Reserves or Guard called to active duty is
1	assigned to the Navy Band, Washington, DC or the US Naval Academy Band	male	\$ 809.00	\$ 809.00	
2		female	\$ 856.65	\$ 856.65	
3	eligible to wear the uniform of a chief petty officer (E7-E9)	male	\$ 809.00	\$ 809.00	\$404.50
4		female	\$ 856.65	\$ 856.65	\$428.33
5	a Naval officer candidate, including those attending Aviation Officer Candidate School and Officer candidate School (includes Enlisted Commissioning Program and Limited Duty Officer participants)	male	\$1,123.40	\$1,123.40	
6		female	\$1,413.31	\$1,413.31	
7	a direct civilian accession student to the Air Force Officer Training School (OTS)	male	\$706.20	\$706.20	
8		female	\$912.86	\$912.86	
9	an enlisted accession student to the Air Force Officer Training School (OTS)	male	\$295.00	\$295.00	
10		female	\$295.00	\$295.00	
11	assigned to the United States Air Force Academy Preparatory School	male	\$775.10	\$775.10	
12		female	\$776.11	\$776.11	

Table 29-2. Special Initial Clothing Allowances

ENTITLEMENT TO CASH CLOTHING REPLACEMENT ALLOWANCES			
R U L E	A	B	C
	When a member	and is not	then the member is entitled to an annual
1	completes 6 months of active duty after last entitlement to a standard initial, partial standard initial or reduced standard initial clothing allowance (note 1)	missing, missing-in-action, captured, or detained in a foreign country; nor forfeiting total pay; nor in confinement under approved sentence providing a punitive discharge (note 2); nor assigned to a command where clothing is replaced by an in-kind issue; nor undergoing training leading to a commission or attending an academy preparatory school; nor terminated from the status for which a special initial-clothing monetary allowance was awarded	basic cash clothing replacement allowance, accruing from the first day of the month following the date of completion of 6 months' active duty through the end of the 36th month of active duty. On completion of the 12th month of uninterrupted active duty, payment will be made for one-half the annual rate and the full annual rate thereafter. Annual payments will be made at the end of the member's anniversary month of active duty (note 3).
2	completes 6 months of active duty as an officer candidate (note 1)		
3	becomes entitled to a special initial, partial special initial or reduced special initial clothing allowance		standard cash clothing replacement allowance accruing from the first day of the month following the date the special initial clothing allowance is awarded and continuing for the first 36 months of such active duty. Annual payments will be made at the end of the member's anniversary month of active duty (note 3).
4	completes 36 months of active duty after last entitlement to a standard initial, partial standard initial, or a reduced standard initial clothing allowance (note 1)		standard cash clothing replacement allowance accruing from the first day of the month following the date of completion of 36 months' active duty. Annual payments will be made at the end of the member's anniversary month of active duty (note 3).
5	completes 36 months of active duty after last entitlement to a special initial, partial special initial, or a reduced special initial clothing allowance (note 1)		special cash clothing replacement allowance accruing from the first day of the month following the date of completion of 36 months' active duty. Annual payments will be made at the end of the member's anniversary month of active duty (note 3).

NOTES:

1. The time period is computed without regard to lost time.
2. The term "approved sentence" means the date the sentence was approved by the convening authority.
3. If a member serves on this active duty less than 12 months or less than 12 months after the last annual payment, then a prorated amount will be paid, calculated at one-twelfth of the annual rate for each whole month or fractional month served. Example: A member on a 3-year enlistment leaves service after serving 2 years, 6 months, and 10 days. The final payment would be an amount equal to 7/12 of the annual amount.

Table 29-3. Entitlement to Cash Clothing Replacement Allowances

CASH CLOTHING REPLACEMENT ALLOWANCES – EFFECTIVE 1 OCT 1998					
R U L E	A	B	C	D	E
	When an entitled enlisted member is	and is	then the value of the Basic Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance is	and the value of the Standard Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance is	and the value of the Special Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance is
1	Army	male	\$234.00	\$334.80	
2		female	\$295.20	\$421.20	
3	Navy	male	\$252.00	\$360.00 (note 1)	\$460.80 (note 1)
4		female	\$298.80	\$424.80 (note 1)	\$594.00 (note 1)
5	Air Force	male	\$187.20	\$266.40	
6		female	\$212.40	\$302.40	
7	Marine Corps	male	\$205.20	\$291.60	
8		female	\$244.80	\$349.20	

NOTES:

1. Members of the USNA and Washington DC Navy bands and all Navy Chief Petty Officers receive these allowances as follow-on to the Special Initial Clothing Allowances and the Basic Cash Clothing Replacement Allowance is not used.

Table 29-4. Cash Clothing Replacement Allowances

NAVY SUPPLEMENTARY CLOTHING ALLOWANCES – EFFECTIVE 1 APRIL 1998			
R U L E	A	B	C
	When a Navy enlisted member is assigned to	then the supplementary clothing allowance to be paid in cash is	and the frequency of payment is (note 1)
1	shore duty in a BUPERS controlled recruiting billet or a recruiting support billet (note 2)	\$220.00	annual
2	the US Navy Ceremonial Guard	\$200.00	only upon assignment
3	the Ceremonial Guard Unit, Naval Air Facility, Washington DC	\$120.00	only upon assignment
4	duty in the executive part of the Department of the Navy located at the seat of government (field activities excluded)	\$15.00	only upon assignment
5	duty in the Office of the Secretary of Defense including the Office of the Joint Chiefs of Staff	\$15.00	only upon assignment
6	duty as a recruit company commander at naval training centers or Naval Air Reserve training unit (Memphis) and meets eligibility requirements (note 3)	\$220.00	annual
7	duty as a recruit drill instructor at naval training centers and meets eligibility requirements (note 3)	\$220.00	annual
8	duty with Naval Administrative Unit, Washington DC	\$125.00	only upon assignment
9	the CNO Retention Team	\$220.00	annual
10	a unit of the armed forces police or permanent shore patrol	\$50.00	only upon assignment
11	duty as a member assigned to (1) Transient Monitoring Unit, Enlisted Personnel Management Center, New Orleans; (2) Personnel and Administrative Assistance Team, Atlantic; (3) Personnel and Administrative Assistance Team, Pacific; or (4) Reserve Personnel Management Assistance Team (RPMAT)	\$185.00	only upon assignment
12	duty as the Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy (MCPON) or a Master Chief Petty Officer of a Fleet or Force	\$220.00	annual
13	active duty or Selected Reserve duty and the individual's condition requires the wearing of a maternity uniform	\$225.00	once in three years
14	duty as a musician with a fleet or area band	\$220.00	annual
15	duty as a midshipmen company advisor in pay grade E7 – E9 at the United States Naval Academy	\$220.00	annual

NOTES:

1. The supplementary clothing allowances listed are, unless otherwise noted, payable upon initial assignment to a normal tour of the duties described at the frequency specified in this table. Allowances to be paid as annual allowances will be paid on the anniversary date of the initial assignment or entitlement, provided the member is projected to remain in the assignment for at least an additional six months. Allowances to be paid as once in three year allowances, will be paid after 36 months from the date of any prior payment, provided the individual's condition/duties continue to require the supplementary allowance and they are projected to remain in the assignment for at least six additional months. Allowances to be paid as only upon assignment allowances will be paid only when first assigned to the specified duty. A supplementary allowance may not be paid more frequently than once per year for similar duty even if at different locations or commands or for subsequent recalls to active duty within one year, except by special authority of the Service Secretary or his designee.

2. Recruiting or recruiting support duty means active duty assignment to: Navy recruiting areas, Navy recruiting districts, Navy recruiting "A" stations, Navy recruiting stations, Military Entrance Processing Stations, or to Naval Reserve activities. It also includes Naval aviation cadet procurement teams at Naval Air Reserve activities. It is payable to recruiters after reporting to the enlisted Navy Recruiter Orientation Course or upon completion of the Veteran Recruiter Orientation (VETRO). It is payable to recruiting support personnel upon receipt of orders to such duty. It is payable to members in BUPERS controlled recruiting billets or a recruit support billet upon initial assignment when specialized training is not required prior to the recruiting assignment.

3. Eligibility requires completion of Recruit Company Commander or Recruit Drill Instructor School.

Table 29-5. Navy Supplementary Clothing Allowances

AIR FORCE SUPPLEMENTARY CLOTHING ALLOWANCES – EFFECTIVE 1 APRIL 1998			
R U L E	A	B	C
	When an Air Force enlisted member is assigned to	then the supplementary clothing allowance to be paid in cash is	and the frequency of payment is (note 1)
1	duty as an in-flight passenger service steward	\$150.00	annual
2	Detachment 1, 4950 th Test Wing	\$150.00	annual
3	89 th Air Wing Presidential Aircrew	\$150.00	annual
4	Headquarters USAF/CC as member of the security police	\$100.00	only upon assignment
5	89 th Air Wing as a member of the security police	\$100.00	annual
6	the United States Air Force Band, the Air Force Band of the Rockies, or a numbered Air Force band	\$150.00	once in three years
7	Hammer Ace	\$150.00	only upon assignment
8	duty as a basic military training instructor or manager	\$179.00	annual
9	duty as a cadet military training advisor at the United States Air Force Academy	\$150.00	annual
10	duty as a basic military training instructor at the United States Air Force Academy Preparatory School	\$150.00	annual
11	a recruiting group or squadron	\$179.00	annual
12	represent the Air Force as one the 12 Outstanding Airmen of the Year	\$179.00	only upon assignment
13	duty as a Professional Military education Instructor	\$179.00	annual
14	duty at a MAJCOM as a member of the security police Elite Guard	\$100.00	only upon assignment
15	duty as a member of the security police Elite Gate Guards	\$100.00	only upon assignment
16	duty as a student at the Security Forces Specialist Course (Law Enforcement & Security Specialist Students)	\$75.00	only upon assignment
17	duty as the Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force	\$179.00	annual
18	duty as the Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force Staff	\$179.00	only upon assignment
19	duty as a USAFA radio maintenance work center technician	\$125.00	once in three years
20	a military entrance processing station	\$125.00	annual
21	active duty and the individual's condition requires the wearing of a maternity uniform (note 2)	\$283.00	once in three years
22	active duty and the individual's condition requires the wearing of a maternity uniform when the individual is provided, as government issue, maternity working uniforms (e.g. hospital workers, note 2)	\$91.00	once in three years

NOTES:

1. The supplementary clothing allowances listed are, unless otherwise noted, payable upon initial assignment to a normal tour of the duties described at the frequency specified in this table. Allowances to be paid as annual allowances will be paid on the anniversary date of the initial assignment or entitlement, provided the member is projected to remain in the assignment for at least an additional six months. Allowances to be paid as once in three year allowances, will be paid after 36 months from the date of any prior payment, provided the individual's condition/duties continue to require the supplementary allowance and they are projected to remain in the assignment for at least six additional months. Allowances to be paid as only upon assignment allowances will be paid only when first assigned to the specified duty. A supplementary allowance may not be paid more frequently than once per year for similar duty even if at different locations or commands or for subsequent recalls to active duty within one year, except by special authority of the Service Secretary or his designee.

2. When the reduced maternity uniform allowance has been paid and the member subsequently qualifies for a full maternity uniform allowance within three years of the reduced payment, the member will receive only the difference between the two allowances. A member may not receive more than the full maternity uniform allowance value within any 36-month period. A reduced maternity uniform allowance may not be paid within 36 months of a full maternity uniform allowance.

Table 29-6. Air Force Supplementary Clothing Allowances

CIVILIAN CLOTHING ALLOWANCES FOR OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEMBERS – EFFECTIVE 1 OCTOBER 1998		
R U L E	When an officer or enlisted member is entitled to a Civilian Clothing Allowance for	then the amount of payment is (notes 1 and 2)
1	permanent duty initial payment	\$776.00
2	permanent duty annual replacement payment	\$258.67
3	temporary duty of at least 15 days in a 30 day period (note 3)	\$258.67
4	temporary duty of at least 30 days in a 36 month period	\$517.33

NOTES:

1. By law, an officer is authorized a civilian clothing allowance only if the officer's permanent duty station is outside the United States.
2. Unless exception is given, the maximum amount payable for all temporary duty performed in any 36- month period will not exceed the maximum prescribed for duty of at least 30 days.
3. The 15-day qualification requirement does not apply to explosive Ordnance Disposal and Explosive Detector Dog personnel on United States Secret Service support duty, Defense Courier Service couriers, or On-Site Inspection Agency military personnel. These personnel may be authorized up to the maximum Temporary Duty Civilian Clothing Allowance for 30 days upon their initial temporary duty travel requirement.

Table 29-7. Civilian Clothing Allowances for Officer and Enlisted Members

SETTLEMENT OF CASH CLOTHING ALLOWANCES							
R U L E	A	B				C	D
	When member is entitled to	and is a member of the				and has	then
		Army	Navy	Marine Corps	Air Force		
1	a Standard Initial Clothing Allowance, a reduced or Partial Standard Initial Clothing Allowance		X			completed 6 months of active duty (note 1)	settle balance of allowance due.
2			X		X	drawn clothing equalling or exceeding the allowance	settle amount, collect amount due from member, if appropriate.
3					X	completed 30 days of active duty (note 1)	settle balance of allowance due.
4			X			completed recruit training	settle balance of allowance due.
5			X		X	reenlisted in the same branch of the Regular Service subsequent to expiration of 3 months from date of last discharge or release from active duty	pay or credit amount authorized immediately.
6	a Special Initial Clothing Allowance or a reduced or Partial Special Initial Clothing Allowance		X		X		pay or credit amount authorized immediately.
7	an initial cash allowance for personal purchase of specified items	X	X	X	X	established entitlement to an initial clothing allowance	pay or credit amount authorized immediately.
8	a civilian clothing allowance	X	X	X	X		pay or credit amount authorized immediately.

NOTES:

1. On discharge, release from active duty, or death, before completion of 6 months' active duty (Navy), or 30 days (Air Force), reduce the monetary clothing allowance to amount of clothing already supplied.

Table 29-8. Settlement of Cash Clothing Allowances